

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 3, 1909.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:50 and sets at 6:54. High water at 7:08 a. m. and 9:37 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section local showers late tonight or Tuesday; warmer tonight; moderate southerly winds.

ILLUMINATION LAST NIGHT.

King street and the court of honor on Washington street were brilliantly lighted again last night, while the powerful searchlight on Shooters' Hill threw its penetrating beams toward every quarter of the compass. The effect was dazzling and was greatly enjoyed by the many persons who were on the streets.

The work of removing decorations from buildings was in progress today. The court of honor and the strings of electric bulbs on King and Washington streets, however, remain in act.

The committee on decorations have decided that Elks' Hall, southeast corner of Prince and Royal streets, was the most tastefully and elaborately adorned of any building in the city.

The Richmond Howitzers, which participated in the parade on Friday, left the union passenger station on a special train yesterday evening for their home. They enjoyed their visit to this city and made many friends and acquaintances while here.

Seventeen thousand tickets were sold by the electric railway company on Friday and about ten thousand persons arrived on steam trains at the union passenger depot. Trains were run from Baltimore direct to this depot. The steamboats transported many visitors, while hundreds came to this city in vehicles and on foot.

A meeting of the committee which had the "Home-coming Week" and the celebration of last Friday in charge will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce to receive reports from the chairman of the various committees.

OLD ALEXANDRIA.

If all the great men who have lived in Alexandria could return to the old Virginia city, it would be a most distinguished throng, for Alexandria has been the home or abiding place of many great men whose names live in the history of the country. In the time of the civil war Alexandria was under the guns of the north, but the hearts of her people were true to the Old Dominion. There is no bitter feeling now, the sons and daughters who are at the old home this week came from the north and west as well as from the south, and they are one people. Few towns in the whole land can boast of more historic places and objects than Alexandria, and the sight of these, along with the warm and hospitable welcome he received will amply repay the president for his visit.—Baltimore Sun.

FINED TEN DOLLARS.

Officer Beach and Garner late Saturday night arrested a young man who gave his name as Frank Gill, on the charge of carrying a pistol. Gill it was alleged, was in a doorway on the south side of King street, between Fairfax and Royal, brandishing the pistol in front of a crowd when the officers arrived on the scene. Gill then put the weapon in his pocket. The officers upon examining the pistol found it was not loaded. The case was called in the Police Court this morning, when Gill stated that he was an attaché of a show and that the pistol had been borrowed from the keeper of a public house for use on the stage and that he was on his way to return it when arrested. Justice Caton dismissed the charge of carrying concealed weapons, but fined Gill \$10 for disorderly conduct.

MEETINGS.

At a meeting of the directors of the Alexandria Water Company held today a semi-annual dividend of \$2.50 per share was declared. The officers reported the affairs and property of the company to be in good condition.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Williams Watchman's Clock Company, incorporated, was held in the offices of the company on the Alexandria National Bank Building today where business of interest to the company was transacted.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Columbia Real Estate Company was held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, this evening, for the election of officers and other business.

THAT BANNER.

It appears that the little Alexandria boys who marched in Friday's parade drawing a cannot were not the boys who bore the "Galloo Must Go" banner. This banner headed a number of boys brought here from Washington, it is said, by some women of that city and was in line without the knowledge of the organizer of the celebration. The little captain of the Alexandria company was much vexed with the Washington boys and said the device or their banner should have been "Quasin Must Go" adding that he never before heard boys swear as did those who bore the anti-saloon banner.

GIVEN ANOTHER CHANCE.

Abe Douglas, colored, who started for the Richmond penitentiary Saturday in charge of a guard from that institution, did not reach his destination. Just as the prisoner was about to be put on a train at the union station a message from Governor Season arrived granting a stay of sentence until he can review the case. Douglas was returned to the jail in this city. He was recently sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary for feloniously cutting Isaac Hackley, colored, on the 15th of last February.

CHARGE NOT SUSTAINED.

On Saturday night Officer Garvey arrested a young man, who gave his name as J. H. Hammett, at the instance of E. D. McMinamie, who charged him with attempting to pick his pocket in a saloon in the western section of the city. The case came before the Police Court this morning when the plaintiff stated that he could not testify positively that the young man attempted to pick his pocket. The prisoner denied the charge against him, and Hammett, having promised to leave the city, was released.

The first showing of Regal Shoes in the city, John A. Marshall & Bro. 422 King street.

GOOD SHOWS.

The management at the Opera House appreciative of the large crowds attending the vaudeville and motion picture and noting the real enjoyment gotten by them from the performances, has determined that this week will excel the past, if such a thing is possible, for it was truly great last week. The stars of the vaudeville stage will be seen tonight at the Opera House—the longest and best shows on the stage today for the small price of admission charged.

One of the principal attractions at the Opera House tonight will be a side-splitting farce comedy entitled "Too Much Love." The scaffolding to be used in the hanging in the great "Jack, the Ripper" scene is on exhibition in front of the Opera House. This great show will take place Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

The Surprise Theatre offers its patrons the first half of this week the Gypsy Moon. On a comedy sketch; Gen. W. Turner, eccentric comedian, a famous vaudeville performer, who will please you with his funny talk and songs; also Gypsy Morris, a very clever singer and dancer. The big headline act of the week will be here on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Baby Esmond, the cutest little trick in vaudeville, will be here. She is only 5 years old and you will be surprised at the act this little artist will show you. Saturday matinee she will hold a reception for the ladies and children after each show. The last of the week we will also have Binney and Chapman, comedy sketch artists, and Billy Courtwright, the silly kid.

The beginning of the week finds the Alexandria Amusement Co. ever alert to the interests of the amusement lovers and are better prepared than usual to entertain them with the best silent and the only talking pictures to be seen in this city. A glance at the advertisement will convince you that this is true. Come out and see this good show.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton, presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning:

John Jackson, colored, arrested on suspicion of stealing horse reins, was held.

Charles Roberts, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

Walter Jackson, charged with vagrancy, was sent out of the city.

J. H. Hammett, charged with attempting to pick the pocket of E. D. McMinamie, was dismissed, the charge not having been sustained.

J. H. English, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

Frank Gill, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined \$10.

Wm. Lewis and James Martin, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, forfeited their collateral by failing to appear.

A young man, charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

John Wilson, colored, charged with stealing chickens from Mary Grigby, colored, was sent to jail for four months.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late J. Thomas Ballenger, whose death occurred early Saturday morning, took place from the residence, 111 south St. Asaph street, this afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Messrs. W. F. Watson, and O. D. Balla. The interment was in St. Paul's cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. William Nelzay, George Stuart, Edgar Warfield, Jr., Carter Smith, Samuel Pitts and Ashby Bladen.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Eliza J. Ellis took place yesterday afternoon from the residence, 310 south Washington street. Rev. J. R. Sevier, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, officiated. The interment was in the Presbyterian cemetery.

Mrs. Annie Josephine Clary, widow of T. W. Clary, of Frontsburg, Mo., died on Saturday at Berwyn, Mo. Her remains were brought here to be interred in Bishop Cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Father Outler.

RECEPTION.

Mrs. M. R. O'Sullivan at her residence, 225 south Pitt street, entertained Saturday at a beautiful reception, Court Kavanaugh, No. 54, Daughters of Isabella, in honor of her guest, Miss Brennan, vice regent of Court Santa Maria, No. 26, of Potomac, Pa. Refreshments were served during the evening and sweet music, discoursed by Professor Padgett and Miss Devitt. Those assisting Mrs. O'Sullivan were Mrs. E. A. Gorman, Mrs. Evans, Miss Annie Devitt and Miss May, of Washington. Quite a number of daughters were present from Washington.

RAILWAY CONDUCTORS.

The Order of Railway Conductors held a meeting yesterday afternoon at its hall, Alexandria National Bank building. Capt. William B. Smithers was chosen a delegate to the national convention of the Order of Railway Conductors, which will convene in Boston May 10. This is the fourth consecutive time Capt. Smithers has been chosen to represent the Alexandria division at national conventions.

THE CARNIVAL.

The Carnival Company, which exhibited here throughout the past week, left early Sunday morning for Washington where they will probably secure fewer "concessions" than they did here. They did not take any of the carnival committee with them.

The Red Cross Shoes for tender feet. The ladies who wear the Red Cross Shoes always wear a smile. Sold only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

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PERSONAL.

Judge Bailey has gone to Bath county on business.

Mrs. Harper and Mrs. Doenges, of Baltimore, are guests of Mrs. M. R. Goodhard.

Miss Hettie Hagall, of St. Louis, who has been the guest of Mrs. B. Well, left yesterday for New York and from that city she will sail next Saturday for Ireland. While here she was the recipient of much attention.

Mr. Taylor Cooper, of Widewater, was the guest of Mr. H. B. Glover last week. Mrs. H. H. Mitchell and daughter and Miss Minnie Garrison, of Stafford, and Miss Edith Elliott, of Bristerberg, are guests of Miss Edith Goodhard.

Mrs. W. H. F. Lee, of Ravensworth, who has been visiting Miss Katherine H. Stuart, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Emma Beale, who spent "Home-coming Week" with Mrs. M. E. Sonner, returned to her home in Wilmington, Del., today.

Mr. Leo McKenney, seriously ill of typhoid fever at his home on south Fairfax street.

Engineer Herbert S. Fairfax, who was seriously injured by the derailing and overturning of his locomotive at Tye river on March 3, and who has since the accident been in a Lynchburg hospital, will return to his home in this city the latter part of this week.

Engineer Herbert L. Linn, who was injured at the same time, has completely recovered and is ready to return to duty.

Mrs. W. B. Oden and daughter, of Warrenton; Miss Carrie H. Bibb, of Calpepper; Mr. M. B. Preston, of New York, and Mr. R. L. Wood, of Fredericksburg, are visiting at the residence of Mr. J. T. Preston.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY.

Judge J. B. T. Thornton, presiding. Sarah J. Polinton vs. W. R. Polinton, final decree for divorce on ground of desertion.

Bessie Bowler vs. Annie E. Cranford et al; final decree.

Effie Richardson vs. Douglas Richardson, colored; decree granting plaintiff alimony of \$8 per month.

Benjamin Stuart vs. Susan P. Oliver; from the Circuit Court of Alexandria county; argument heard on demurrer and court took matter under advisement.

A special jury has been summoned for Wednesday when the case of Anna T. Marbury vs. T. M. Jones will be heard. This is a suit for the ownership of an alley on Prince street east of Pitt.

U. D. C.

The regular monthly meeting of Mary Curtis Lee Chapter, U. D. C., will be held in the Confederate Veteran's building, tomorrow, Thursday, afternoon at three o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Killed in a Collision.

Portsmouth, N. H., May 3.—Edward Harnder, a fireman, was killed and more than a score of passengers and trainmen hurt in the collision of a Boston and Maine northbound express train with a yard engine here at noon. Two of the injured trainmen are likely to die. None of the passengers were fatally hurt.

Customs in Public Dining Rooms.

"Have you ever noticed persons enter a restaurant—how the women invariably select a center table, while a man will linger or glance about in the hope that he may find a comfortable seat in some corner or against the wall?" said a proprietor of a fashionable restaurant. "It's almost always so and is always amusing. The women like to show their gowns, while the men—well, my theory of it is that the habit is a relic of the cave days, when a man preferred a position against the wall so he could fight his enemies to advantage."—New York Herald.

Not Caused by the Hat.

"How do you like my hat?" she asked. "Why, to tell the truth," replied her dearest friend frankly, "I don't like the effect very well. It seems to me it gives you a rather cross look." "Oh, that isn't the hat," she responded cheerfully.

"No?" "Oh, not at all. That comes entirely from the fact that I have just seen my husband and he had just seen the bill."—Chicago Post.

Wordsworth's Joke.

"I never made a joke but once in my life," confessed Wordsworth, and the rest of the story leaves one in doubt whether he knew a joke when he saw it. "Meeting a peasant neighbor one day, he asked me, 'Ha! ye seen my wife, Meester Wordsworth?' 'My good fellow,' said I, 'I didn't so much as know that you had a wife.'"

Truth or Fiction?

"Ah, what a difference there is," remarked the cynic wearily, "between courtship and marriage! Courtship is made up of soft nothings—marriage of hard facts."

And he broke the world's record for a sigh.—New York Times.

More Than He Bargained For.

Mrs. Benham—I am getting stouter all the time. Benham—Yes; when I got married I little realized that I was getting a wife on the installment plan.

It is often woman who inspires us with the great things that she will prevent us from accomplishing.—Alexandre Dumas.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The winds continue.

The question is asked, Why only one? A music book belonging to the hand of the Richmond Light Infantry Blues was lost Friday. The finder is requested to leave it at this office.

The mayor's five days to consider the Council resolution directing the carnival committee to furnish bond have expired. He reserves his decision.

Bishop William Pierce, of New York, will preach in the Free Methodist Church on south Lee street tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. All invited.

The receipts of fish continue scarce. Herring this morning brought from \$5.50 to \$6 per thousand, and roe shad \$50 to \$55 per hundred. Buck sold at from \$25 to \$30.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to R. E. Lee Camp will be held tomorrow, Tuesday, evening at 7:30 o'clock in Confederate Veterans' Building. A full attendance is desired.

The weather yesterday was clear and cool with a stiff westerly wind. The temperature fell considerably last night and frost was visible this morning. At an early hour the mercury in the thermometer stood at 40°.

A difficulty took place shortly after noon today between proprietors of a lunch room on south Royal street and a colored attaché, during which salt bel-lars and other table fixtures were used as missiles. Neither party was injured.

Some excitement was caused on King street Saturday night by a fight which took place between two young men. The man who came out second-best was arrested, but he failed to appear in the Police Court this morning and forfeited his collateral. The fight was caused by one of the youngsters pushing a "tickle" in the face of a young woman.

Mr. Chester J. Moly did yesterday at the home of his son, Mr. T. A. Moly, Braddock Heights, after a short illness. Mr. Moly was a native of New York and was on a visit to his son when death overtook him. He was a builder by occupation and was 70 years old. Funeral services, which will be held tomorrow afternoon, will be held in his home.

The monthly meeting of Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans will be held tonight. Persons who have not paid their poll tax tonight will not be able to participate in the next general election to be held in November.

Now that it all over we don't want to forget the big men of our city who so materially helped to make Old Home-coming Week a success. We should be proud to know that we have men here capable of taking hold of things and by the sheer force of their personalities push 'em thru' to a successful conclusion. As Mr. Einstein says: "In der bright lexicon of dot home coming committee there were no such word as fail." And every mother's son composing that committee is a regular customer of the Auth Stand. They all eat the Auth Products because, they too, "make good."

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LOST.—Friday, April 30th, a K. A. FRATERITY PIN set with opals and diamonds, initial "H. O. R. P." engraved on back of pin. Reward if returned to 517 Cameron St.

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LOST.—On the street on Friday, an Oxford silver HAT PIN, with flat diamond shaped head with gallery engraved thereon. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to the residence of Judge Nicol, on north Washington street.

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A DIVIDEND OF TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS per share will be paid to the stockholders of the Alexandria Water Company on and after SATURDAY, May 15, 1909. Checks will be mailed stockholders.

By order of the Board of Directors.

GEORGE HILLER,

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Secretary and Treasurer.

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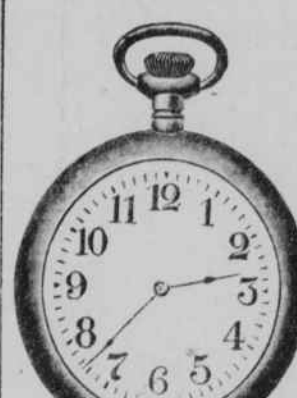
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